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Applicant(s): Joshua E. Rothenberg, et al.

Invention: LITHOGRAPHIC FABRICATION OF PHASE MASK FOR FIBER BRAGG GRATINGS

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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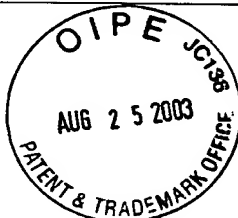
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

A Petition for a one month Extension of Time and the necessary fee accompanies this Amendment. In response to the Office Action dated April 23, 2003 (Paper No. 13), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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